ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

In a pointing device (1), strain sensors (7A-7D) are formed on a sensor substrate (2) at positions partially overlapping with a lower surface of a fixed part (5) of a stick member (3) so that a portion of the substrate (2) in which the largest stress concentrates by operation of an operating part (4) of the stick member (3) overlaps with each strain sensor (7A-7D). When such pointing device 1 is installed on a notebook-sized personal computer (20), the stick member (3) is operated to move a cursor (K) displayed on a liquid crystal display (23). Accordingly, the cursor (K) can accurately be moved by operation of the stick member with good operationality.